

Tentative [REDACTED] Research Program for FY'54

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1. Projects in process (described in Tab C) to be completed in FY'54:

a. Forced Labor in the USSR.

25X1A1a Of [REDACTED] 25X1A1a approved for this project, an estimated balance of [REDACTED] remained on 30 June 1953 with which the project will probably be concluded by September, 1954.

b. Patterns of Soviet Take-over and Control.

25X1A1a Of [REDACTED] 25X1A1a approved for this project, an estimated balance of [REDACTED] remained on 30 June 1953 with which the project will probably be concluded by October, 1954.

c. Social Tensions in Communist China and Sino-Soviet Relations.

25X1A1a PRC approved this project in the amount of [REDACTED] 25X1A1a of which [REDACTED] was to be available in FY'53 and the remainder in FY'54. Actually, an estimated [REDACTED] was spent in 25X1A1a FY'53, hence a total of about [REDACTED] is available for FY'54.  
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2. Projects Under Consideration at Present:

a. Study of Scientific Education in the USSR.

Description: An evaluation of the quality and character of the education of scientists and engineers in the USSR, with a view to improving our estimates of the capabilities of the Soviet scientific and engineering professions and to establishing methods for future evaluation of foreign educational systems.

This project is sponsored by the Office of Scientific Intelligence, has been approved in principle by the Deputy Director of Intelligence, and is being presented to the PRC for approval. Proposed cost: [REDACTED]

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b. Economic Development in the Eastern European Satellites.

Description: An analysis of economic development in the Eastern European satellites under Soviet control.

ORR is considering sponsorship of this project. It will probably be presented for approval in the summer of 1953. Proposed cost: [REDACTED] 25X1A1a

c. Probable Consequences of the Liberation of One or More Soviet Satellites.

Description: This project would deal with the alternative courses of action of the United States, the United Nations, and other parties concerned in the event of the liberation of a satellite resulting from general war, from a "Titoistic separation", from a weakened USSR, from a split-up of the Soviet system for any cause, or from a substantial modification of Soviet policy without either war or internal revolt.

Sponsorship of this project is being worked out. Proposed cost: [REDACTED] 25X1A1a

d. Soviet Language Trends and Propaganda Themes.

Description: A study of Soviet linguistics in an attempt to correlate changes in language trends with changes in propaganda themes.

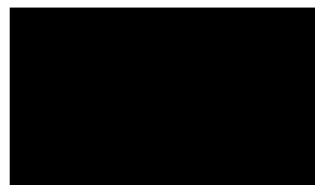
Sponsorship of this project is being worked out. Proposed cost: [REDACTED] 25X1A1a

3. Financial Summary:

a. Estimated Balances of Money Approved for FY'53 and Available for Expenditure in FY'54 to Conclude Projects:

Patterns of Soviet Take-over and Control  
Forced Labor in the USSR  
Social Tensions in Communist China  
Total:

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b. Money Approved for Expenditure in FY'54:

Social Tensions in Communist China



c. Estimated Cost of Projects Under Consideration for  
FY'54:

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Consequences of Satellite Liberation  
Scientific Education in the USSR  
Economic Development in European  
Satellites  
Soviet Language Trends  
Total:

